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**The material for building the barn was hauled out of Main Canyon, by Rolo, to a local Wallsburg sawyer to have it cut to proper sizes. These were native pine logs.**

**Successive owners of the barn have been, Rolo Carl Hendricksen, Polly May Boren Hendricksen, and presently, Doyle J Graham and family.**

**Informants: Helen Hendricksen Draper, James (Jim--86 yrs old)Thompson, Grant Givens and Doyle J Graham.**

**Researcher & Photographer: Florine Merrell Whiting.**

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# REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

This report is made in accordance with the provisions of the Act of March 3, 1879, and is submitted to the Senate and House of Representatives.

It was built by John C. Thompson, a son of the late John Thompson, who was one of the early settlers of the State. The land was purchased by John C. Thompson in 1870, and was then divided into four sections. The first section was sold to John C. Thompson, and the other three sections were sold to John C. Thompson, Jr. The land was then divided into four sections, and the first section was sold to John C. Thompson, and the other three sections were sold to John C. Thompson, Jr. The land was then divided into four sections, and the first section was sold to John C. Thompson, and the other three sections were sold to John C. Thompson, Jr.

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